

HON. P. WATT HARDIN has received nearly enough instructions to insure his election as Governor. He will be in the lead from the beginning and will be the next Governor of Kentucky.

THE men who pretend to favor the well-being and good name of Hartford who were not on hand Monday to aid those who made the fight against saloons here, are welcome to such consolation as they find in the result.

THE boys over at Owensboro are having a barrel of fun with themselves on the silver question. They have had divers and sundry speakers there, and have talked about as much and as wildly on both sides of the currency controversy as any people on earth, even in Nebraska. The gold men name a presidential possibility every few days and the silverites do likewise. It was this tendency to fill the presidential chair with each man's favorite which provoked this from the Sunday Post:

In behalf of many readers we send a modest "Don't Tickle Your West for our next free silver orator. Put up John Griffith, Capt. Ellis, Jake Rowe—anybody this side of Nebraska."

In our neighboring county of Hancock needs any more school teachers we can supply her. While there were seven applicants for certificates at the recent examination of teachers over there we had 81 applicants. It must be said, however, to the credit of Hancock that, whatever their number, the teachers of that county are as thorough and enterprising as any in the State. They seem to catch something of the spirit prevailing in the schools of the people just across the river from them and they teach school according to the most approved methods. In this particular they are good running mates for the teachers of Ohio county.

Hence is the declaration upon which the Democrats of Ohio county propose to stand until it is superseded by another National Democratic platform:

We denounce the Republican legislation known as the Sherman act of 1896 as a cowardly makeshift, fraught with possibilities of danger in the future which should make all of its supporters as well as its author, anxious for its speedy repeal. We hold to the use of both gold and silver as the standard money of the country and to the coinage of both gold and silver without discrimination against either metal or charge for mintage, but with and redeemable in such coin. We insist upon this policy as especially necessary for the protection of the farmers and laboring classes—the first and most important victims of the unstable and fluctuating currency.

WHISKY WINS.
The most exciting contest ever waged in Hartford was that of Monday to settle the question of whether or not the town shall render null the county prohibition law. After a day of the most earnest work upon the part of the friends of good order and of the law which the people of the county had made, the saloon element won by a meager majority of two votes. But for the fact that one man voting against the saloons spoiled his ballot, the majority would have been but one. Arrayed on the side of the saloons was a solid line of negroes, whose votes, taken with the minority of white men who favored the saloon, it was impossible to overcome. Considering the means used to secure the result it may not fairly be said to represent the intelligent choice of Hartford's citizens. It will probably be some time yet before saloons are opened in Hartford.

THE PEOPLE'S SERVANT AND HIS CAUSE.

Never was a triumph more signal or a victory more complete than that achieved by Governor Brown in his fight for the people of the State against the encroachments of the greatest corporations in the country which was terminated by the Court of Appeals last week. The Louisville and Nashville railroad is the greatest corporation ever in Kentucky. It is great in everything. No institution in Kentucky commands such magnificent property or such splendid talent. It has been the greatest of all the factors contributing to the development and prosperity of the State. Like every enterprise of its kind it is conducted upon the very highest plan of business enterprise. As a rule, it has been obedient to the laws which have been in force in the State, but like all other men its managers have sought to make the most out of the opportunities about them. It has usually bought or crushed its rivals and has aspired to do all the business in its line among the people in its territory.

This kind of enterprise, while an

outgrowth of the perfectly natural impulse of man, may reach a stage as in case of a great railroad system, at which incalculable detriment may result to the other business interest affected. Such would have been the case with the L. & N., but for the inhibitions of the Constitution of the Commonwealth which a fearless and capable chief executive has so faithfully enforced.

A man of the most undaunted courage and a lawyer with scarcely a peer in the Commonwealth, a statesman, a patriot and the untiring and unswerving friend of his State and her people, John Young Brown is recognized by every student of affairs and men as the ablest and the best Governor Kentucky has had in this generation. That his priceless service to the State and her people will be recognized by those whose affairs he has so wisely managed, we will not doubt, while we know Kentucky's pride in and appreciation for her favored sons.

THE CANDIDATES.

The Democratic State Convention will meet in Louisville next Tuesday to nominate candidates for the various offices to be filled at the approaching election. The following make up the candidates now seeking the support of that Convention:

Governor—P. W. Hardin, Mercer county; C. May, Jr., Bourbon county; M. C. Clifford, Lexington.
Lieutenant Governor—R. T. Tyler, Hickman county; M. D. Brown, Christian county; Oscar Turner, Jr., Louisville.
Secretary of State—H. S. Hale, Graves county; John W. Headley, Louisville; J. Stoddard Johnston, Louisville; C. W. Metcalf, Bell county.
Attorney General—C. N. Norman, Boone county.
Treasurer—Louisville: R. C. Ford, Clay county.
Superintendent Public Instruction—Ed Porter Thompson, Owen county; Jno. O. Hodges Fayette county; H. K. Taylor, Louisville; C. W. Foster, Montgomery county.
Commissioner of Agriculture—L. B. Cull, Louisville; C. V. Wilson, Metcalf county.
Register of Land Office—G. B. Swango, Wolfe county; J. C. Glendon, Boone county; M. F. Brinkley, Rockcastle county; R. F. Harrison, Carroll county; A. F. McCoy, Greenup county.

The Democrats of Ohio county are overwhelmingly in favor of at least two of these men, Col. I. B. Hall for Commissioner and Gen. P. Watt Hardin for Governor. While the delegates from this county are not instructed as to the Governor's race, they will no doubt feel morally bound by the sentiment of a majority of the party in the county, which nobody will deny is for Mr. Hardin.

WHAT HE OFFERS.

It has been remarked by every man who has given the matter any attention that the Republicans promise nothing in return for the support they are begging of Kentuckians save to allow these people the poor privilege as demanded here on one occasion of "standing aside to let Mr. Bradley pass." Instead of acceding the negro voter who has so persistently and unreasonably clung to the Republican organization any sort of recognition they promise him nothing, not even "forty acres and a mule," as jokingly suggested by the Post, which says:

Col. Bradley thinks he has discovered that the people of Kentucky are groaning in sin and misery, brought on by doing those things they ought not to have done, chiefly voting the Democratic ticket, and he has decided to elect him to office, mainly in refusing to elect him to any office higher than that of County Judge. His plan of relief is somewhat vague at present, but he says he will be elected Governor, when he will, no doubt, see that every colored voter gets forty acres and a mule, and every white one a mule, an ice machine, a refrigerator, a sewing machine, and sugar to be secured from Louisiana.

There is more Catfish in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catfish to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catfish Cure, manufactured by J. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only internal medicine for the blood and mucous membranes in doses from five to twenty cents. It acts directly on the blood and mucous membranes, and in every case it fails to cure. Sent for circulars and testimonials. Address: J. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

The Courier-Journal says: "The Hon. David R. Murray, of Cloverport, Breckinridge county, is a pronounced advocate of silver, but he said to-day to a Courier-Journal representative that the free silver men would not make an aggressive fight in that county, and that he did not think the currency question would be brought up in the convention. Conservative sound money men state that the silverites outnumber them by two to one in this county, and on this account that statement of Murray's has special significance. Mr. Murray also said that he believed a spirit of harmony would prevail, and that Breckinridge county would send as many gold men as delegates as it would silver men, but that they would go with instructions to vote for Hardin for Governor. He made a prediction that the State Convention would reaffirm the currency plank of the national platform of 1892. He did not believe that a split would result on account of the agitation of the money question; on the contrary, he thought that each side would go there impressed with the importance of harmony and unity of purpose and action, and that concessions would be made all around, and neither faction would get just what it wanted, still it would not be justified in creating dissensions on that account."

A New theory in the treatment of coughs, lung and bronchial affections has been advanced by the manufacturer of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. It is truly a wonderful remedy. All dealers sell it on a positive guarantee. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky.

GOV. BROWN'S OPINION

IS SUSTAINED BY THE COURT OF APPEALS.

The Commonwealth Wins in Her Proceedings Against the L. & N. R. R.—A Monopoly Crushed.

SYNOPSIS OF THE OPINION

The most important lawsuit decided by the Court of Appeals of Kentucky in many years was that of Louisville & Nashville, &c., vs. the Commonwealth of Kentucky, which was decided Thursday in favor of the Commonwealth. The L. & N. Company had perfected arrangements by which it was to absorb the Chesapeake, Ohio & Southwestern, thus giving it a monopoly of all the railroads of the State West of Lexington and placing within its control almost the entire terminal facilities of Louisville.

Some months ago Governor Brown, on behalf of the State, instituted injunction proceedings to prevent the consummation of the deal. The case was hotly contested in the lower court but was decided in favor of the State. An appeal was taken by the railroad people and the Court of Appeals have affirmed the lower court. The following is a synopsis of the opinion of the court:

Louisville & Nashville R. Co. etc. vs. Commonwealth, June 13, 1895. To be reported. Appeal from Jefferson Circuit Court. Opinion of the Court by Judge Lewis, affirming.

First—Section 301 of our Constitution in plain terms makes it unlawful for any two or more railroad companies owning parallel or competing lines to consolidate their capital stocks, franchises or property or to pool their earnings in whole or part, or for one of them to acquire by purchase or lease property or franchises of the other, it matters not whether the purchase be made at a voluntary or judicial sale, it being the manifest purpose to inhibit one such company from acquiring, controlling or operating the road of another in any manner or to any extent, and to foster competition and forestall and prevent monopoly in railroad transportation, and this inhibition is applicable not only to competing, but to parallel lines.

Second—A court of equity has jurisdiction and may in an action by the State enjoin a corporation from exceeding its chartered powers, or doing acts otherwise illegal and injurious to the public, as it will serve the public interest better to restrain a corporation from the commission of an illegal act, than to wait until after its commission and then proceed by indictment or ordinary action.

Third—The power granted the L. & N. R. R. Co. in its charter to "purchase and hold any road constructed by another company," when construed in the light of the subject-matter, and considering the object of the statute and the intention of the Legislature, means only the right to acquire branch roads, and not parallel and competing lines.

Fourth—When the language of a statute is clear, unequivocal and capable of but one meaning, and there is no room for construction, a court must enforce it as written, but when looking to the subject-matter and object of a statute, and the intention of the Legislature, means only the right to acquire branch roads, and not parallel and competing lines.

Fifth—The power to purchase and hold competing and parallel lines was manifestly not asked by the Co. or intended to be granted by the Legislature in 1850, because at that time the company had not the means to complete its own road under its original charter, and had in five years only completed 31 miles of it.

Sixth—The charter of the Chesapeake, Ohio & Southwestern Co. prohibits consolidation of its capital stock with that of any company whose lines are parallel and competing; and for the L. & N. Co. to purchase and hold the road of that company would be as much an unlawful act as if done in violation of an express provision of its own charter.

Seventh—The power of a State to foster competition, and by reasonable restraints, prevent monopoly within its own limits of railroad transportation, seems to be well recognized, and the fact that nearly two-thirds of the States have now and have for years had provisions either in their constitutions or statutes similar to that in our constitution, and the power to enforce them has never been questioned, seems to be persuasive of their validity and expediency of their necessity. And such laws are not in a proper sense regulations of interstate commerce; nor does their enforcement infringe upon the power of Congress to regulate such commerce.

Helm & Bruce for appellee. Humphrey & Davis for appellant.

Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is different from all other cough remedies. It cures by allaying the inflammation and giving tone, strength, vigor and vitality to the respiratory organs. Guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky.

EXCURSION RATES.

On account of Populist Party Convention at Louisville, Ky., July 4th, 1895. Tickets will be on sale July 4th and for early morning passenger train on the 4th at one fare \$3.10 for round trip, limited till July 7th to return. On account of July 4th, 1895, tickets will be on sale July 3rd and 4th at one fare for the round trip to all stations within a distance of 200 miles from Beaver Dam. Good till July 7th to return. St. John's Day Celebrated at Beaver Dam, Ky., June 24th, 1895. Agents at Louisville, Owensboro and Central City and intermediate points will sell tickets to Beaver Dam and return at one fare on June 24th, good till June 25th, returning. Fast night train No. 16 will leave Beaver Dam at 10 p. m.

carrying a special passenger coach to return passengers coming from stations east of Beaver Dam. Two special passenger trains, one for Owensboro and one for Central City will leave at 10 p. m. to return passengers. For account of St. John's Day Celebration June 24th, 1895, at Louisville, Ky., tickets will be on sale June 23rd and 24th and for early morning passenger train on 25th to Louisville and return for one fare \$3.10 limited till June 29th to return. H. McBRICK, Agt.

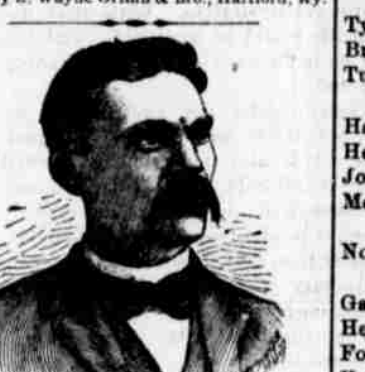
Bradley's Bad Break.

William O. Bradley, who was nominated for Governor by the Republican State Convention, made a speech of acceptance, thanking his political brethren for the honor they had conferred upon him. In concluding his remarks, he allowed his partisan malice and venom to run away with his judgment, and made an utterly false statement in regard to the condition of the State, in his denunciation of the Democratic party. He said:

"The old Kentucky homestead is going to decay. There are blueless doors and broken window panes; the foundation is moldering and crumbling in many places; alternately the sunlight and rain pour through the worn and rotten roof; tangled grass and weeds have destroyed the beauty of the lawn; the furniture is covered with dust, the curtains are moth-eaten, the floors are broken and ready to fall; stagnant pools are standing in the cellar, the fences are down and the cattle are destroying the shrubbery planted by our forefathers."

Commenting upon this untruthful description of Kentucky, which Bradley claimed had been brought about by Democratic rule, the Louisville Evening Post denies that there is any truth in it, and pertinently says: "Old Kentucky is neither in a dilapidated nor hopeless condition. Her tax rate is low, her schools are being daily improved, her penitentiaries are in better condition than ever in her history. She has suffered from the evils of a protective tariff; her industries have been checked by the vicious Republican legislation; her people bear with a will the complaint of an annual tax of four millions for Federal pensions, still she is progressive, prosperous and happy."

To say something is one thing; to prove it is another. We can't prove that Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is the best cough remedy on earth unless you will try it. If you do this and don't agree with us you get your money back. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky.



WM. F. RAPIET.

The proprietor of the ELLENDALE FARM & STOCK FARM, near Louisville, Ky., is among the best known men in Western Kentucky. His training and breeding of horses first brought him into notice several years ago and the grand success of his 1894 fair made him known over the State. The magnitude of his plans for the 1895 fair is making his name familiar as a household word all over the Green River Country. The grandeur of his new Fair buildings and the beauty of his large and up to date program, make assurance doubly sure that his claim that his Fair is THE Fair of the Green River country, is simply the truth. Since last Fair he has planted one hundred of forest shade trees, made beautiful carriage drives, which with the artistically designed flower beds, make the grounds the realization of a poet's dream. He has also made a new Race Track; half-mile regulation, 50 feet in width. The large 3-story Hotel is nearing completion; the 3-story Floral Hall is well under way, as is also the 200 feet addition to the grand-stand. All the buildings are large, substantial and convenient.

The enterprise is one of such magnitude that but very few men could project or plan it, and fewer could carry out the details to a successful finish. Mr. Rapiet's clear judgment, indomitable energy and perseverance, backed by his upright business principles, make him a successful as well as a remarkable man.

The ladies of Ohio county ought to be getting their hands work ready to exhibit at the Floral Hall. The inducements offered are greater than at ordinary Fairs. Besides the premium given to the best specimen of work of its class, there will be given a \$110 Pack and Organ for best display in the hall and a premium of \$25 in gold to the best display from each county represented by at least four displays. Any one desiring any information regarding premiums, or wanting programs, the Secretary, Robert T. Smith, Sorgho, Ky., will cheerfully and freely furnish the same on application or you can call at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.'s drug store, Hartford, Ky.

TAKE NOTICE

To the tax payers of Ohio county: I take this method of notifying you that your Taxes for the year 1895 are due, and that I am COMPELLED to make a settlement with the State Auditor in a very short time, and will be compelled to collect the money at once.

So you will please call at my office in Hartford, Ky., or on one of my deputies in the field at once and settle your taxes. Yours truly, C. P. KEOWN, S. O. C.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

A TEAM OF WILD HORSES. (Louisville Times.)

Senator Squire significantly remarks that no one can for cast what the next year will bring about in the way of politics—"the fifty-fourth Congress is yet to sit." And a team of wild horses it will be, too.

HOW LONG?

(Crapson Gazette.) When the Republicans can no longer consistently cry Democratic bad times on account of retaining prosperity they begin to say "we don't last fall." How long will it take the people to learn that they "did it long before last fall?" That we are just now recovering from '89 to '92? The dawn of light and reason is spreading rapidly.

A-GOING AND A-COMING.

(Louisville Times.) The Republican press of the East and the Populist press of the South are bombarding Mr. Carlisle. The Republicans hate him because he refused to let Wall street run the Treasury, and the Populists hate him because he refused to let the bonanza silver kings of the wild and woolly West run it. No Senator in Congress has more severely criticized Mr. Carlisle's management of the Treasury than John Sherman, and yet they call the Secretary a Shermanite.

SET 'EM UP ALL 'ROUND.

(McLean County Star.) The Michigan legislature, by a vote of 75 to 17 has passed the anti-traveling bill. This does not prohibit anyone from drinking as much as he pleases at the bar of a saloon, but it forbids the treating of others with alcoholic liquors at all times and under all circumstances. There is no doubt that the habit of treating is one of the most fruitful sources of drunkenness known. It is simply a custom with but little more excuse than there would be for presenting each other with cuffs, collars or neckties.

Standing of the Different Candidates.
The following is the result of the work of the County Conventions of the State as far as reported. It shows Mr. Hardin well in the lead for Governor and Col. I. B. Hall safely ahead in his race for Commissioner. The total delegate vote in the Convention will be 878, making 440 votes necessary to a choice.

FOR GOVERNOR.
Hardin.....269
Clay.....201
Alford.....3
Buckner.....5

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.
Tyler.....95
Brown.....38
Turner.....135

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.
Hale.....109
Headley.....123
Johnston.....23
Metcalf.....79

FOR AUDITOR.

Norman.....279
Gardner.....88
Henderson.....73
Ford.....87
Kendall.....19

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Hendricks.....233
For SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.
Thompson.....226 7-13
Hodges.....26
Taylor.....74 6-13

FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE.

Nall.....207
Wilson.....37
Trumbo.....30
Boone.....14

FOR REGISTER LAND OFFICE.

Swango.....92
Glenn.....87
Brinkley.....30
Harrison.....43
McCooy.....90

Rough River Locks No. 1.

June 15th.—Great preparations are being made for work to be commenced on the lock walls. Two engines are set about 130 yards apart, two railroads tracks lead from the river to the yards, one of which has several branch roads and one elevated track. Pipes are laid to connect the two engines. There is an office building with two rooms. The front room is headquarters for the night watchman. The work is under the direction of Captain Wm. M. Hall, assisted by Mr. Butler, with W. Flannigan as superintendent and W. Harris as carpenter.

The tow boat Mr. Stewart is employed making regular trips to and from Livermore, bringing supplies for the work. The U. S. S. dredge boat O. L. Lermund is here at work digging up mud, chunks and logs.

There is but a small force of hands employed at present, but as soon as necessary a large force of hands will be put on the work and I think a general push will be made.

JAY EFF SEB.

Some folks will think that Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is no better than the common cough remedies until they try it. Then they will know for themselves that it's the best on earth. Guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky.

The Strong Position of Leaf Tobacco.

There is no reason why leaf tobacco should not sell high, and continue to do so during this season. Statistics show that receipts at all the Western markets from January 1st to June 1st, 1895, have been less than they were during corresponding period of any year since 1891. A comparison of the amount of stocks held on June 1st in all the Western markets for the past five years shows that this year they have reached the lowest notch touched in the five years. The figures are as follows: 1895, 23,341; 1894, 60,307; 1893, 55,978; 1892, 63,501; 1891, 38,451. These facts, coupled with the additional fact that the stock of manu-

factured goods in the hands of manufacturers and jobbers is probably lower than it has been for five years, ought to and, we think, does place leaf tobacco in a strong position. During the past two years of business depression retailers and jobbers have, as a rule, bought only enough to supply current wants. Few if any are carrying a large supply. Light orders from jobbers have caused manufacturers to stock up lightly and cautiously. Now, with retreating business prosperity, retailers are increasing their orders, which forces jobbers to carry larger stocks, and this in turn encourages manufacturers to load up more liberally and increase their output. With only a medium '95 crop in sight, the biggest part of the '94 crop gone and small stocks held all along the line, why should not leaf tobacco sell steady and high?

WHITESVILLE, KY.

June 18, 1895.—Miss Jessie Barnolds, of Fordville, spent several days last week with Misses Ennie and Estelle Brooks.

Miss Lilla Ware, of Philpot, spent last week with friends in town. Frank Nix, a boy about 12 years of age, found a dynamite cap in the road and as usual it was "not loaded" and he did by applying a lighted match. Drs. Wedding and Barrett flushed up the job by amputating three fingers on last Wednesday.

The ice cream supper given Saturday, the 8th, by the Masonic lodge of this place was the largest of its kind ever held in town. The crowd was very large, estimated at from 800 to 1200. The committee have not yet given out the exact net proceeds, but it is near \$100. It is proposed to make extensive repairs to the lodge. Judge L. P. Little and Rev. James made speeches on the occasion.

The old chestnut of hard times has taken a back seat, while real silver and sound money are the all absorbing topics. The sentiment here seems to be quite equally divided and lively discussions ensue.

The tobacco men are pricing now with a rush. Several cars were shipped last week.

Dr. Vincent Greenhouse, of Adair, spent a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. R. P. Neel.

Mrs. Mary Rhodes, of Louisville, is visiting at J. H. Haffey's.

Mrs. Jno. Kittinger and children are visiting at South Carrollton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Evans were here last Sunday.

Miss Maudie Brown has returned from Hopkinsville where she has been in attendance at Bethel College. She will go again next fall.

The tobacco crop is estimated at 50 per cent. of an average by the tobacco dealers here who have made the closest inquiry.

The young people had a delightful social at A. A. Pate's last Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mollie McCann, of Zion, Henderson county, spent a week with her sister, Mrs. McCarty, and G. L. Puroell. She went home on the 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank May have returned home after a two month's stay at Morgantown.

Born, to the wife of John Pate on the 15th inst., a fine girl.

Miss Alma Jackson is on the sick list. Enla Brooks will leave Wednesday to go to Holt's Station on the L. & N. St. L. & T., where he will conduct a general merchandise store. Enla has always lived in our town and has many warm friends who will miss him. All will extend to him their best wishes for success.

Rev. D. J. K. Maddox preached at the Baptist Church yesterday and last night to good audiences.

Suffering humanity was blessed by a most delicious rain which began about 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon and continued for nearly three hours.

The Precinct Democratic Convention convened Saturday at 3 p. m. and was called to order by A. P. Brooks. W. S. Neel was selected as chairman and R. E. Knox secretary. O. C. Haynes, W. L. Litsey and Dr. W. L. Barrett were selected to represent the precinct at the county meeting. They were instructed for P. W. Hardin for Governor or were given no further instructions. Of course all are for free silver.

JUNK.

Every person, big, little, old or young, black or white, rich or poor who has ever used Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey, pronounced it the best cough and lung remedy on earth. It's true, too, so we guarantee it. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky.

THE LATEST NEWS.

The report that President Cleveland spent Sunday, the 9th, fishing in Virginia has proven to be without foundation.

A queer suit in the Circuit Court in session at Hodgenville, Ky., resulted in a hung jury. It was a suit over one hundred and thirty acres of land which was valued at five dollars per acre. Felix Ash and William Dwyers were the participants in the suit. The cost has already amounted to over five hundred dollars, while the land is valued at two and one-half cents.

Hide out, little ones. One of the most hairlifting accounts has been received of a monster beast heard down about B. F. Tyler's last Monday night. It is said it has a voice like unto thunder and was as large as one of Uncle "Pitt's" steers (which is very likely was) but they do further claim that it left its track which was like unto the track of a lion, and it ran away through the woods and did leap as the hare doth leap.—(Green River Republican.)

A special from Birmingham, Ala., says: The Howard Harrison Iron Company, operating the largest iron pipe works in the South, located at Bessemer, employing fifteen hundred men, have posted a notice that the wages of their employees will be increased 10 per cent., the change taking effect June 15. The advance is voluntary. This is the second large iron firm to advance wages in this district within a week.

The way to cure a cough is to stop the coughing. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey cures the cough, breaks the force of the cold, and brings it quickly. Cures grip cough in one night. Guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky.

SELECT, KY.

June 17, 1895.—Bro. Price filled his appointment at this place Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. C. M. Phogley, who has been in McLean county for the past few months, returned home recently.

Mrs. Bettie Shields and granddaughter, Miss Pearl Shields, of near Cromwell, visited Mr. T. C. Taylor and family of near this place Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Langford and sons Masters Willie and Everett are visiting friends and relatives in Butler county.

Master D. Sammie Miller, after spending several weeks with his grand parents at this place, returned to his home at Flournoy some time ago.

Mr. McGuffin traveling salesman for W. H. Newman & Co., was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stewart visited relatives at Beaver Dam Sunday.

Prof. Birch Shields, of Cromwell has been employed to teach the fall school at this place.

Mr. J. S. James who has been in Kansas and Colorado for the past few months, will return to his home at this place in the near future. SOLEMAN.

Good Health.

And a good appetite go hand in hand. With the loss of appetite, the system cannot long sustain itself. Thus the fortifications of good health are broken down and the system is liable to attack of disease. It is not what we eat but what the medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will deliver us as a purifier of the blood, its powers to restore and sharpen the appetite and promote a healthy action of the digestive organs. Thus it is, not what we eat but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does that tells the story and constitutes the strongest recommendation that can be urged for any medicine. Why not take Hood's Sarsaparilla now?

Masonic Picnic at Beaver Dam.

Cromwell Lodge No. 430, F. & A. M., will celebrate St. John's Day, June 24, with a grand picnic at Beaver Dam. Masonic procession from the hall to the grounds at 10 o'clock, a. m. Dinner at 12 o'clock, m. Hon. Thos. S. Pettit, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, will deliver an address at 1 p. m. There will be other prominent speakers present who will also make addresses. Reduced rates on the railroad. Dinner 35c; children 15c. Let everybody come. Plenty to eat and a good time assured. Committee on arrangement: Dr. S. D. Taylor, A. A. Millard, N. Barras, H. C. Leach, J. P